

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re Application of:

Ove HOECH-GULDBERG et al

Appln. No.: 09/890,463

Group Art Unit: 0000

Respectfully submitted,

Registration No. 30,764

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Examiner: Unknown

For: PIGMENT PROTEIN FROM CORAL TISSUE

## RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS

ATTN: APPLICATION BRANCH

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the "Notice of Missing Requirements under 35 U.S.C. 371...", dated September 10, 2001, for which response is due on or before November 12, 2001 (November 10 and 11, being a Saturday and Sunday, respectively), Applicants submit herewith the required Declaration properly executed by the inventors.

A check for the surcharge, in the amount of  $$65.00^{1/}$ , is attached hereto.

The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any underpayment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. A duplicate copy of this paper is attached.

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 $<sup>^{1/}</sup>$  Applicants are entitled to small entity status as evidenced by the Small Entity Status Declaration attached hereto.